



Third Northern Mariana Islands Constitutional Convention -2813-

Delegate Amendment No. 028

Date: July 21, 1995

ARTICLE AND SECTION TO BE AMENDED: Article II, Section 7

COMMITTEE ASSIGNED: Committee on Legislative Branch and Public Finance

It is proposed that the article passed on first reading be amended as follows:

Article II

Section 7: Action on Legislation by the Governor

c) A bill or item, section or part of a bill vetoed by the governor may be reconsidered by the legislature. The governor shall transmit the vetoed bill to the legislature within five working days from the date of the veto. The legislature shall have sixty days from the receipt of the governor's veto message in the house of origin of the vetoed bill, item, section or part of a bill to reconsider the vetoed legislation. If two-thirds of the members in each house vote upon reconsideration to pass the bill, item, section or part, it shall become law.

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Notes: This amendment adds a time limit for the governor to act. This does not affect the veto power.